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Petrograd, Feb. 9.—A dispatch from Warsaw says among the prisoners taken by the Russians in fighting along Bzura river were a number of German women. The message declares some of these women were found with rifles in their hands in the first line of trenches.

GERMAN ATTACK AT STANDSTILL

Special to the Dispatch:

London, Feb. 9.—The fierce German attack on Warsaw front is again at a standstill, according to the reports received from both Berlin and Petrograd. On the other hand the Russian capital reports that on each wing of the eastern battle line Russian offensive has been resumed.

COLONEL FIERRO.

Reported Killed in an Attack on Villa.



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El Paso, Tex., Feb. 9.—It is declared here that Colonel Rodolfo Fierro, Villa's personal bodyguard, had been killed in his attempt to kill Villa in a personal quarrel several days ago. In the affray Villa, it was said, had received three slight flesh wounds.

DOUBLE MURDER SUSPECTED

Body of One of Two Missing Brothers Is Discovered.

Wakela, Fla., Feb. 9.—The body of Alonso G. Gardner of Baltimore was found in a dense palmetto thicket along the banks of the Raft creek near Georgetown. Death had been caused by a shot in the back of the head. Gardner and his brother Horace of Springfield, Mass., have been missing for three weeks.

No trace of Horace Gardner has been found, but the authorities believe he, too, is dead. It is thought both men were killed for the purpose of robbery. The pockets of Alonso had been turned inside out. Both are said to have carried considerable money.

DACIA CREW MEMBERS QUIT

Inform Captain They Will Not Risk Capture by British.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 9.—The steamer Dacia, cotton laden from Galveston, was held up on the second stage of its voyage to Rotterdam after eleven or more of the crew refused to continue in service.

A fireman, who said he represented several others of the crew, told United States Commissioner Hamilton that some of the sailors feared the Dacia would be detained by British warships.

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Postmaster General Urges Government Control of Telegraph and Telephone Systems—Bryan Voiced His Views as Long Ago as 1906—Doubt if a Filibuster Is Ever Justifiable.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Feb. 9.—[Special.] Future possibilities of government ownership of all public utilities produced the strongest undercurrent of opposition to the ship purchase bill. While many old line Democrats have gone far in that direction there still lurks in the minds of many members of that party sincere opposition to government ownership. At the same time there is also a strong element in the party in favor of at least a limited government ownership of the great corporations which serve the people.

Postmaster General Burleson is strongly urging government control of the telegraph and telephone systems to be made part of the post office department, but it is shrewdly guessed that back of this movement is the forceful bureaucratic element in the department which is reaching out for more power.

Backed by Bryan.

As far back as 1906, when Mr. Bryan was returning from a tour of the world, John Sharp Williams was sent abroad to meet him and urge that he forego the government ownership ideas he had promulgated and even to repudiate them. Bryan would not consent to do so and in the famous Madison Square Garden speech restated his position, modifying his previous declarations only to the extent that the time was not opportune to push the propaganda.

While the Nebraskan has not said much on the subject since, he has not changed his mind, and many of his followers believe government ownership of the great corporations is the only solution of the problems growing out of the great corporations which serve the public.

There Is Always a Doubt.

There is always a doubt in the minds of many men whether a filibuster is justifiable. They wonder whether the country will sustain them in defeating by force of words and long-winded speeches measures which the majority believe should be enacted.

Do not make any mistake about it, most of the public men watch with great interest the effect which their acts have on the public mind. And there are many men in the senate who have grave doubts about the wisdom of conducting an in and out filibuster against a measure which is supported by a clear majority.

Rebuked by Reed.

Senator Reed of Missouri certainly can keep himself in the public eye. Quite the most amusing performance lately was when he rebuked Democrats for recalcitrancy for failure to stand by the party, etc. Everybody smiled or laughed outright. Reed fought his party on the currency bill long and hard; he fought his party on the Clayton bill almost to the extent of a filibuster; he fought the majority on the immigration bill along similar lines, and yet he sarcastically rebuked the Democrats who deserted on the shipping bill.

Looks the Part.

In a controversy in the house Congressmen Lever of South Carolina referred to Congressman Page of North Carolina as an eminent lawyer.

"I don't want to be rated as an eminent lawyer," said Page, who is a brother of the ambassador to Great Britain, "for I am not a lawyer at all."

"Well, you ought to be, for you look the part," retorted Lever.

They Are All Honorable Men.

Mark Antony started it when he referred to the honorable men who put their knives into Julius Caesar and then proceeded to roast them to a finish. That often happens in the house. A man will get up and say that he impeaches the motive of no man, that he has the highest regard for the committee which reported a certain measure, that the character of the men is without question, and then proceed to tear the bill to pieces, charging it is stuffed with graft, that it is looting the treasury and everything else he can say. And the men who reported it sit by calmly, for they were vindicated in the beginning as honorable men.

The Wrong Place.

Lawyer—My client did not understand your honor, as he is very deaf. Magistrate—And he has come to this court for a hearing. Lawyer—Yes, your honor. Magistrate—Then tell him he had better go to a specialist—Baltimore American.

WILLIAM REDMOND.

Irish Member of Parliament Joins British Army.



Dublin, Feb. 9.—William Redmond, M. P., for Clare east, and brother of John Redmond, the Irish leader in parliament, has been given a commission in the Royal Irish regiment.

THREE BOYS DIE UNDER AVALANCHE

Caught in Great Snowslide While Coasting.

New England, N. D., Feb. 9.—Three boys, ten, eleven and twelve years old, lost their lives when they were caught under a snow slide at Rainy Butte, eight miles southwest of here.

Elmer Lee, fourteen years old, the fourth boy of the party, was buried under the avalanche, but was rescued alive.

The dead are: Julius Hillstead, eleven years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hillstead; Edward and Willie Hillstead, ten and twelve years old, respectively, sons of Andrew Hillstead. The two latter have made their home for several years with Mr. and Mrs. Iver G. Lee, near East Rainy Butte.

The boys were coasting on the butte when the slide occurred. Tons of snow swept down the slide of the butte, burying the boys.

The Lee boy managed to work his way up through the solidly packed snow and was discovered by his father and a neighbor, who were making a search for the boys.

PUTS THREE ON COMMITTEE

Minnesota House Speaker Names Mute School Probers.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—The committee to investigate the affairs of the state school for mutes at Faribault, in compliance with the resolution introduced by Representative L. C. Spooner, was announced by Speaker H. H. Flowers.

The members are Representative P. H. Konzen, Hallock; Representative W. J. North, Duluth, and Representative A. F. Telgen, Montevideo.

Investigation of the affairs and management of the state fire marshal's office by the committee on public accounts and expenditures is provided in a resolution introduced in the house by Representative G. W. Rodenberg of St. Paul. Notice of debate was given and the resolution went over.

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From out of a great mind a moving picture serial has just been created "The Exploits of Elaine." Once in a century a genius is born—A man who rises out of the ordinary and in one sublime moment reaches to the very skies... This has occurred in drama, in music, in art, in literature. Here it is in pictures. You can thank your stars that Saturday it's here, Feb. 13th. Matinee and night.

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THE WEATHER
Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours.

Feb. 8, maximum 24 above, minimum 10 below.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

New Victor Records—"Michael's."

E. R. Grose, of Little Falls, was in the city today.

Martin Torgerson went to Barrows this afternoon.

For Sale Mill wood. Phone 36-R.

L. V. Tanner, of Little Falls, was in the city today.

J. A. Stetson of Deerwood, was in the city on real estate business.

Fancy Valentines at Nobles, 506 Laurel street. 2067

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanson, of Pillager, were Brainerd visitors.

L. E. Garrison and H. Mueller are at Deerwood on state road matters.

It is said a lodge of the Guardians of Liberty is being established in Brainerd.

For SPRING WATER Phone 264.

—Advt. 244f

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**Regular Meeting
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Wednesday Eve.
Feb. 10th, 8 p. m.**

John Wahl and a number of men interested in the range were in Brainerd and at Barrows Monday.

A. B. Hostetter, of Duluth, district agricultural agent, was in Brainerd conferring with the County Agent, A. J. Gafke.

Valentines, Valentines. Do not buy until you have seen mine. J. H. Noble, 506 Laurel St. 2067

Joseph Undraitis, of 601 South 6th street, was operated on yesterday at the Northern Pacific hospital and is getting along well.

O. H. Johnson, proprietor of the Ransford hotel and his night clerk, J. A. Johnson, went to Fort Ripley today, motoring there to visit J. P. Saunders.

In the election of officers of Woodrow Homestead, Brotherhood of Am-

erican Yeomen, Lena Peterson was elected correspondent and Sadi Canion chaplain.

E. J. W. Donshue, of Ironton, was in the city on his way to Minneapolis. He said that if he was in town Saturday, Feb. 20, he would join the Oriental Pictures.

A boar from the fields, Wheat-a-Laxa bread. Natural grain laxative, at Erleson Bros. bakery. 171f

P. J. Daveau and William Toohey of Brainerd, were in Bemidji Saturday to attend the Oswego-Bemidji basketball game, returning home on the night train.—Bemidji Pioneer.

P. E. McCabe is at Staples where he has charge of the business interests of his brother, James McCabe.

The latter is very slow in a hospital in Minneapolis and is not expected to live.

Houses, lots, lands, for sale and rent. Cash or easy. Nettleton. 20710-wt2

The payment of personal property is well under way. The county treasurer is sending out notices to Brainerd people giving the amounts due from each. Ten per cent penalty attaches on March 1.

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The body of Michael Lloyd, check clerk at the Northern Pacific freight office in St. Paul, was sent to his late home last night. He was a married man about 54 years of age. He passed away at a local hospital.

Valentine Post Card, Hearts, Laces, Pulls, Booklets and Box Goods at Nobles, 506 Laurel street. 2067

Edward A. Berg returned Saturday evening from Minneapolis, where he attended the auto show. Mrs. Berg, who has been visiting at Brainerd during his absence, returned Monday.—Little Falls Transcript.

When your chimney clogs up and smokes, use Anti-Carbon. D. M. Clark & Co.—Advt. 201f

Colds are Often Most Serious—Stop Possible Complications

The disregard of a cold has often brought many a regret. The fact of sneezing, coughing, or a fever should be warning enough that your system needs immediate attention. Certainly loss of sleep is most serious. It is a warning given by nature. It is a man's duty to himself to assist by doing his part. Dr. King's New Discovery is based on a scientific analysis of colds. 50c at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today.—Advt. 201f

At the Columbia

Jackie Saunders in the "Will O the Wisp," was a perfect picture in every particular. It is a safe wager that the business tonight will be doubled. Miss Saunders is the most captivating little actress in moving pictures. The comedy caused great merriment. There are so many different things taking place tomorrow at the Columbia that it would take some time to enumerate them. Don't forget to watch the ad tomorrow.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

Empress Theatre

The Empress theatre will have another big five-reel show today. "Three Brothers" is a strong two part Majestic drama; "A Joke on Yellowstone" is a splendid comedy; "Shadows and Sunshine" an appealing drama, and "Help! Murder, Please!" is a riot of fun.

Special attention is called to the feature picture for tomorrow, "The Three of Us" in which Mabel Taliaferro, the dainty dramatic star, plays the part of May Macchesney. This photo play is a picturization in five parts of the well known play of the same name which toured the world to great success for many years. It is a stirring romance of the gold regions where the stern law of every man for himself, quickly separates the weak from the strong.

Confirming the announcement of yesterday, the Empress theatre orchestra will open with the Friday afternoon matinee. Prof. H. Krause, a former member of the St. Paul Symphony orchestra and also the Boston Symphony orchestra and Victor Herbert's Pittsburgh orchestra, has been secured to direct. The St. Paul Symphony orchestra has disbanded and Prof. Krause has been secured for a short time. He is a first class man and comes very highly recommended by Walter Rothwell who conducts the St. Paul organization. The management of the Empress wishes to assure the public and all appreciators of good music that their orchestra will at all times furnish the best of music.

At the Grand

In filming the death of Pell in the latest episode of "The Master Key," which is tonight, the roof of a San Francisco hotel was used. Neighboring skyscrapers were crowded with spectators when Dore (Robert Leopold) threw a highdive, especially engaged for the occasion, from the hotel roof. The chase over the hotel roof, the fight and the share which Ruth Gallon (Ella Hall) took in the struggles are all realistic. "In Jungle Wilds," two-reel drama Wednesday and Thursday, tells story of life in the African jungle. Leopards, Lions, gorillas and other denizens of the jungle attack settler's cabin in search of man-meat. You will see a leopard spring on horse's back before camera lenses while the frightened beast collapses with fear.

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COURAGE IS COMMON IN THIS WAR

London, Jan. 30.—Every Englishman knows how to die bravely. The Irish, Scotch and English soldiers face the bayonets, the machine guns as though out on dress parade. It is the men who sicken and die in the trenches, or at home after an arduous campaign that our sympathy goes out to most. There are thousands of such men behind the battle lines who went to the front without the strong constitution and good pure blood to withstand the deprivations, the hardships of the campaign in Belgium and France. It's a warning that we should pay strict attention to our stomach, liver and blood. If one is all out of sorts he should take an invigorating tonic and alternative such as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which cures diseases of the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition. It eliminates from the blood disease breeding poisons. It makes the blood rich and pure, and furnishes a foundation for sound, physical health. Fifty years ago, Dr. Pierce, of the Invalid's Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., found that certain barks and roots manufactured by using glycerine without the use of alcohol or opiates, made into a concentrated extract, which he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made a stimulating tonic for the stomach, helped the digestion and assimilation of the food and eradicated poisons from the blood. This is nature's cure for indigestion, and by correcting the stomach, and thereby feeding the blood on pure materials, the red blood corpuscles are increased and the body established in a healthy state. No one suffers from catarrh who has plenty of red blood corpuscles and a good digestion. Catarrh in all its forms is a stagnation of the blood. Introduce pure red blood into the system by taking the "Medical Discovery" and health is assured.—Advt.

St. Paul Grain.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.52 1/4@1.56 1/4; No. 2 Northern, \$1.49 1/2@1.53 1/4; No. 2 Montana, \$1.53 1/2@1.55; corn, 71 1/4@72c; oats, 56 1/4@56 1/2c; barley, 75 1/8@85c; rye, 1.26@1.27; flax, \$1.86@1.89.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Feb. 9.—Cattle—Steers, \$4.50@8.25; cows and heifers, \$4.50@9.75; calves, \$4.00@9.75; stockers and feeders, \$4.25@6.75. Hogs—\$6.45@6.60. Sheep—Lambs, \$4.50@8.50; wethers, \$5.25@6.50; ewes, \$2.50@5.75.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Wheat—May, \$1.63 1/2; July, 1.38 1/2. Corn—May, 79 3/4c; July, 81c. Oats—May, 60 1/4c; July, 57 1/4c. Pork—May, \$19.15; July, \$19.52 1/2. Butter—Creameries, 32c. Eggs—21@25c. Poultry—Springs, 16c; fowls, 15c.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Feb. 9.—Wheat—May, \$1.52 1/4; July, \$1.47 1/2; Sept., \$1.28. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, \$1.56 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.52@1.56; No. 2 Northern, \$1.49 1/2@1.53 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.44 1/2@1.51 1/2; No. 3 white corn, 71 1/4@71 3/4c; No. 3 white oats, 56 1/4@56 1/2c; flax, \$1.88@1.89.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.60@9.10; cows and heifers, \$3.10@8.00; calves, \$8.00@12.00. Hogs—Light, \$6.70@6.95; mixed, \$6.65@7.00; heavy, \$6.55@6.95; rough, \$6.55@6.65; pigs, \$5.40@6.40. Sheep—Native, \$6.10@6.30; yearlings, \$7.40@8.00.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$4.45; No. 1 timothy, \$13.10@13.75; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$11.50@12.25; No. 1 mixed, different grasses, \$11.00@11.75; No. 1 mixed, timothy and wild, \$11.00@11.75; choice upland, \$13.00; No. 1 upland, \$11.50@12.25; No. 1 midland, \$8.00@9.00; No. 1 alfalfa, \$13.50@14.25.

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Styles of the most striking character—in Silk, Silk and Cotton, Silk and Wool, and in Cotton—weaves, colorings and prints that will not be obtainable in any other store for weeks, are here now, and we invite you to come and have the pleasure of seeing them tomorrow.

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Which will satisfy your own ideals, conform to whatever ideas you may already have for your new Spring Dress, or come within the price-limit of your purse—are waiting for you.

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Are everywhere in evidence! In Silk, in Wool, Silk and Wool, as well as in Silk and Cotton Fabrics, you will find values that cannot be surpassed—values that will surprise and please you with their importance, for—

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Come! Judge for Yourself!

It's a Display worth coming miles to see. Come—Be among the first to profit

WOMAN'S REALM

MUSICAL CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Annual Meeting of the Ladies Musical Club Held Saturday Afternoon, February 6th

MRS. B. J. BROADY REELECTED

Dainty Refreshments Were Served at Close of the Meeting by the House Committee

The annual meeting of the Musical club was held Saturday afternoon, February sixth. The program which preceded the election of officers, consisted of concert study in F minor Opus 79, Von Weber. This splendid and masterful composition was rendered by Miss Ora Glass with orchestral accompaniment played by Mrs. W. A. M. Johnstone at the second piano, and Edwin Harris Bergh on the violin. Although written for piano and orchestra and still given as a concerto in symphony concerts, this work is more often heard as it was rendered Saturday. It is one of the best and most effective of Weber's compositions for the piano and one of his most successful attempts in the line of descriptive music, in which he was a pioneer. Sir George Grove says: "His talent shows most conspicuously whenever he had a poetical idea to interpret musically." Of this concerto he says: "Though complete in itself as a piece of music, it is prompted by a poetical idea, for a whole dramatic scene was in the composer's mind when he wrote it." The following is the story upon which the music was founded from the composer himself:

The chatelaine sits alone on her balcony, gazing far away into the distance, her knight has gone to the Holy Land. Years have passed by—battles have been fought. Is he still alive? She imagines her husband wounded and forsaken on the battle field—can she not fly to him, and die by his side? She falls back unconscious. But hark! what are those notes in the distance? Off in the forest something flashes in the sunlight. Nearer and nearer come Knights and Squires with the cross of the crusaders. She sinks into his arms. Love is triumphant. The very woods and waves sing the song of love. A thousand voices proclaim his victory.

The composition is in four movements. In the first larghetto Miss Glass, with clearness and beauty of touch, brought out the melody, expressing the sorrowful meditation of the lovely chatelaine. In the second, Allegro, she showed skill and power of technique. The March of the third movement gave opportunity for Mrs. Johnstone to show her exquisite

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THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

EVENT OF THE SEASON

Charity Ball to be Given by the Bachelor Maids and Musicians' Union Tuesday, Feb. 16

The interest being taken in the coming ball to be given for charity by the combined efforts of the Bachelor Maids and the Musicians' Union indicates that it will be the event of the season and the canvass for the sale of tickets is meeting with good success. The event will take place at Gardner auditorium on the evening of February 16 and the program and other arrangements are being prepared by expert hands in a manner that will be sure to please the large throng of merry dancers that will assemble in response to the invitation extended. It is expected that many people from out of town will grace the occasion by their attendance. The Musicians' Union will have prepared a program that will delight all. With the assurance of a delightful evening and the knowledge that the expenditure will go to the charity fund there should be no reluctance in helping the two organizations in their efforts along this line on this particular occasion.

INTERESTING PROGRAM

To be Given by Young People's Society of St. Paul's Episcopal Church Wednesday Evening

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's church entertains at a social meeting Wednesday evening in the Iron Exchange hall. The program, which follows, will commence at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Piano solo, Ballade in G Minor—Chopin

Miss Charlotte E. Neal

Violin solo, Souvenir—Drdia

Miss Fern Hitt

Morris D. Folsom, accompanist

Vocal solo, Gypsy Love Song, from the Fortune Teller—Mr. Al Mraz

Mrs. Lorencia Cooke, accompanist

Reading, Selected—Miss Esther Belmont

Piano solo, Polacca Brillante, Op. 222—Mrs. Wilcox

Vocal solo, Selected—Mr. S. F. Alderman

Morris D. Folsom, Accompanist

Piano solo, Tarantelle in A Minor—Chas. Denne

Miss Evelyn Erickson

Vocal solo, Good Night, Little Girl, Good Night—Miss Macy

Miss Georgia Drexel

Charlotte E. Neal, accompanist

Young Peoples Society

The Young Peoples Society of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will meet Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, at Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson, 1223 Norwood street, Southeast.

Ladies Guild Meeting

The ladies guild of the Episcopal church will meet at the usual hour on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Crowell.

Dinner Combinations.

Any vegetable harmonizes with beef. Serve caper sauce only with mutton. With fritted meats serve baked potatoes.

Serve tomatoes in some form with veal.

Serve potatoes plain boiled only when new.

With roast chicken serve mashed potatoes, onions and tart jelly.

With roast meats serve potatoes mashed or roasted in the pan with the meat.

For dinner salads use only the simple green salads with French dressing.

With roast pork serve baked potatoes, a green vegetable and a sour apple sauce.

With broiled steak serve creamed potatoes and a crisp fried vegetable like eggplant.

With roast lamb serve mashed potatoes, green peas or string beans and a mint sauce.

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For a family dinner serve a clear soup, meat, potatoes or a starchy vegetable like rice or hominy, a green vegetable and dessert, or meat, potatoes or a substitute, a salad and dessert, or a cream soup, a made dish of meat and potatoes and dessert.

Egg Canapes For Lent.

Take four eggs, three mushrooms, two anchovies, six capers, one teaspoonful of tarragon vinegar, one teaspoonful of butter and eight small rounds of fried bread. Roll the eggs quite hard. Take off the shells and cut them in halves across. Take out the yolks and chop them up. Chop also the capers and mushrooms; soak the anchovies, dry them and remove the bones; chop the anchovies. Mix well together with enough salt and pepper to season and add the tarragon vinegar. With this stuff the whites of the eggs, neatly piling the mixture to a point. Put a small piece of butter on the top of each. Have the eight small, neatly cut rounds of bread fried; make the eggs stand, one on each, put them into the oven to get quite hot and serve at once.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Harry Bayer went to Minneapolis this afternoon.

Mrs. C. J. Middaugh, of Port Jervis, sister of Mrs. A. Everett, died Sunday morning.

Miss Emma Boudreau spent Sunday with friends at Brainerd.—Little Falls Transcript.

Miss Pearl Roderick was operated on for appendicitis at a local hospital and rallied well from the shock.

Mrs. Irma Camp Hartley, county superintendent of schools, is slowly recovering from the accident sustained in a runaway when her elbow was broken. She is at the Sisters hospital.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. John Carlson, 401 Holly street, on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 10, at 3 o'clock. Visitors will be welcomed. A large attendance is desired.

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Peoples Congregational Aid

The Ladies Aid society of the Peoples Congregational church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. M. Smith and Mrs. G. H. Johnson at the church parlors.

Catholic Foresters Meet

The Catholic Foresters Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. H. Grossman on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, 1013 Fir street.

It Really Does Relieve Rheumatism

Everybody who is afflicted with rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, lumbago, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today.

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

When one receives the card announcement of the birth of a child to a friend one should write a note of congratulation to the mother, and if so inclined, one should send a gift to the baby. A dainty dress, an embroidered flannel skirt, a cap or appropriate jewelry would be suitable gifts.

NEATNESS IN SCHOOL

When school is over for the day And books and pencils put away, Remember, please, in every case, That all things have their proper place.

A tidy desk arranged just so Will save a lot of time, you know.

A little boy I knew was late Because he couldn't find his slate.

—St. Nicholas.

Good form

For the Children

Little English Boy in the Uniform of a Hussar.



Photo by American Press Association.

MYSTERY OF MATTER.

Endless Routine of the Material That Forms Our Bodies.

Mr. Geoffrey Martin has written a treatise on chemistry from which is taken this paragraph from the chapter on "Matter."

"The endless circulation of matter in the universe is perhaps one of the most wonderful facts with which chemistry has to deal. It is this endless change that causes the history of the most common and insignificant objects about us to be more astonishing than any fairy tale.

The pairing off of dinner companions on this evening is easily done if the names of famous lovers of history are borrowed to help you in a modern placing of guests or members of the family. By writing or printing the names on cards a very easy arrangement is possible.

Romeo and Juliet, Dante and Beatrice, Petrarch and Laura, Antony and Cleopatra, Darby and Joan, Sleeping Beauty and Prince Charming are some suggestions for pairing.

The woman's name should be placed on one card, the man's name on another, and the two lovers should seat themselves in adjoining chairs at the table.

Little Cupids form a very important part of the decoration. Their artistic arrows and forget-me-nots are also good to use as decorative accessories. These can be drawn or painted, and if traced from tissue paper or regular wax tracing paper can be done with satisfaction and quickness.

Verses from the poets found in any collection of poetical quotations will help you in a further appropriate decoration of place cards.

Playing soldier is very popular with the young folks of the nations at war in Europe. They do not realize what a terrible calamity war is and in their innocence think it is grand to be a soldier. Recently at Aldershot, which is a great military camp in England, the camera man snapped a little boy arrayed in the uniform of a hussar. The hussars are cavalrymen and in times of peace wear a gorgeous uniform ornamented with gold braid, and on their heads are caps or shako made of fur. Probably the miniature soldier's father is a member of this arm of the service, and his mother clothed him in military regalia as a token of patriotism. Anyhow, the little fellow makes a most interesting and cute picture.

Finally it reached man. Yes; the very atoms that thrill and flash in our brains and muscles once formed part of a living plant or animal millions of years ago and will again form part of a living plant or animal millions of years hence. In some form or other the matter that now forms our bodies will exist long after the whole present order of creation has passed away. Indeed, it may well yet blow in the winds of worlds as yet unborn and thrill in forms of life not yet evolved."

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The annual meeting of the Musical club was held Saturday afternoon, February sixth. The program which preceded the election of officers, consisted of concert stuck in F minor Opus 78, Von Weber. This splendid and masterful composition was rendered by Miss Orr Glass with orchestral accompaniment played by Mrs. W. A. M. Johnstone at the second piano, and Edwin Harris Berg on the violin. Although written for piano and orchestra and still given as a concerto in symphony concerts, this work is more often heard as it was rendered Saturday. It is one of the best and most effective of Weber's compositions for the piano and one of his most successful attempts in the line of descriptive music, in which he was a pioneer. Sir George Grove says: "His talent shows most conspicuously whenever he had a poetical idea to interpret musically." Of this concerto he says: "Though complete in itself as a piece of music, it is prompted by a poetical idea, for a whole dramatic scene was in the composer's mind when he wrote it." The following is the story upon which the music was founded from the composer himself:

The chateleine sits alone on her balcony, gazing far away into the distance, her knight has gone to the Holy Land. Years have passed by—battles have been fought. Is he still alive? She imagines her husband wounded and forsaken on the battle field—can she not fly to him, and die by his side? She falls back unconscious. But hark! what are those notes in the distance? Off in the forest something flashes in the sunlight. Nearer and nearer come Knights and Squires with the cross of the crusaders. She sinks into his arms. Love is triumphant. The very woods and waves sing the song of love. A thousand voices proclaim his victory.

The composition is in four movements. In the first larghetto Miss Glass, with clearness and beauty of touch, brought out the melody, expressing the sorrowful meditation of the lovely chateleine. In the second, Allegro, she showed skill and power of technique. The March of the third movement gave opportunity for Mrs. Johnstone to show her exquisite

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EVENT OF THE SEASON

Charity Ball to be Given by the Bachelor Maids and Musicians' Union Tuesday, Feb. 16

The interest being taken in the coming ball to be given for charity by the combined efforts of the Bachelor Maids and the Musicians' Union indicates that it will be the event of the season and the canvas for the sale of tickets is meeting with good success. The event will take place at Gardner auditorium on the evening of February 16 and the program and other arrangements are being prepared by expert hands in a manner that will be sure to please the large throng of merry dancers that will assemble in response to the invitation extended. It is expected that many people from out of town will grace the occasion by their attendance. The Musicians' Union will have prepared a program that will delight all. With the assurance of a delightful evening and the knowledge that the expenditure will go to the charity fund there should be no reluctance in helping the two organization in their efforts along this line on this particular occasion.

touch and fine musical interpretation, and for Mr. Berg to exemplify the power of thought and feeling, in tone, on the violin. In the finale the closing movement, Miss Glass was brilliant, and most pleasing to the listeners.

There were many expressions of wonder and pleasure that one so young and seemingly frail could undertake and accomplish so well, such a big thing.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. B. J. Broady.

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tor.

Rec. Secretary—Mrs. Bane.

Cor. Secretary—Mrs. T. E. Jones.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. A. Spencer.

Assistant Treasurer—Miss Winnie Small.

Directors—Mrs. Cohen, Mrs. Patek,

Mrs. LaBar.

The house committee served dainty refreshments at the close of the meeting.

INTERESTING PROGRAM

To be Given by Young People's Society of St. Paul's Episcopal Church Wednesday Evening

The Young People's Society of St. Paul's church entertains at a social meeting Wednesday evening in the Iron Exchange hall. The program, which follows, will commence at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Piano solo, Ballade in G Minor—Chopin

Miss Charlotte E. Neal

Violin solo, Souvenir—Dr. Della Miss Fern Hitt

Morris D. Folsom, accompanist

Vocal solo, Gypsy Love Song, from the Fortune Teller—Mr. Al Mraz

Mrs. Lorencia Cooke, accompanist

Reading, Selected—Miss Esther Belmont

Piano solo, Polaca Brillante, Op. 222—C. Bohn

Mrs. Wilcox

Vocal solo, Selected—Mr. S. F. Alderman

Morris D. Folsom, Accompanist

Piano solo, Tarantelle in A Minor—Chas. Denne

Miss Evelyn Erickson

Vocal solo, Good Night, Little Girl, Good Night—Miss Georgia Drexel

Charlotte E. Neal, accompanist

Presbyterian Ladies Aid

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. John Carlson, 401 Holly street, on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 10, at 3 o'clock. Visitors will be welcomed. A large attendance is desired.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Harry Bayer went to Minneapolis this afternoon.

Mr. C. J. Middaugh, of Port Jervis, sister of Mrs. A. Everett, died Sunday morning.

Miss Emma Boudreau spent Sunday with friends at Bismarck—Little Falls Transcript.

Miss Pearl Roderick was operated on for appendicitis at a local hospital and rallied well from the shock.

Mrs. Irma Camp Hartley, county superintendent of schools, is slowly recovering from the accident sustained in a runaway when her elbow was broken. She is at the Sisters hospital.

Young Peoples Society

The Young Peoples Society of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will meet Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, at Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olson, 1223 Norwood street, Southeast.

Ladies Guild Meeting

The ladies guild of the Episcopal church will meet at the usual hour on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Crowell.

Dinner Combinations.

Any vegetable harmonizes with beef. Serve caper sauce only with mutton. With fricassee meats serve baked potatoes.

Serve tomatoes in some form with veal.

Serve potatoes plain boiled only when new.

With roast chicken serve mashed potatoes, onions and tart jelly.

With roast meats serve potatoes mashed or roasted in the pan with the meat.

For dinner salads use only the simple green salads with French dressing.

With roast pork serve baked potatoes, a green vegetable and a sour apple sauce.

With broiled steak serve creamed potatoes and a crisp fried vegetable like eggplant.

With roast lamb serve mashed potatoes, green peas or string beans and a mint sauce.

With roast beef serve potatoes baked in the pan and a sweet watermelon or peach pickle.

For a family dinner serve a clear soup, meat, potatoes or a starchy vegetable like rice or hominy, a green vegetable and dessert, or meat, potatoes or a substitute, a salad and dessert, or a cream soup, a made dish of meat and potatoes and dessert.

Egg Canapes For Lent.

Take four eggs, three mushrooms, two anchovies, six capers, one teaspoonful of tarragon vinegar, one teaspoonful of butter and eight small rounds of fried bread. Roll the eggs quite hard. Take off the shells and cut them in halves across. Take out the yolks and chop them up. Chop also the capers and mushrooms; soak the anchovies, dry them and remove the bones; chop the anchovies. Mix well together with enough salt and pepper to season and add the tarragon vinegar. With this stuff the whites of the eggs, neatly piling the mixture to a point. Put a small piece of butter on the top of each. Have the eight small, neatly cut rounds of bread fried; make the eggs stand, one on each, put them into the oven to get quite hot and serve at once.

Catholic Foresters Meet

The Catholic Foresters Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. H. Grossman on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, 1013 Fir street.

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Everybody who is afflicted with rheumatism in any form should by all means keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment on hand. The minute you feel pain or soreness in a joint or muscle, bathe it with Sloan's Liniment. Do not rub it. Sloan's penetrates almost immediately right to the seat of pain, relieving the hot, tender, swollen feeling and making the part easy and comfortable. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents at any druggist and have it in the house—against colds, sore and swollen joints, lumbago, sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today—He wants the earth—London Opinion.

What He Wanted.

Captain—Can't you do something for that seasick passenger, doctor? Doctor—No; he wants too much. Captain—Why, what does he want? Doctor—He wants the earth—London Opinion.

Good form

For the Children

Little English Boy in the Uniform of a Hussar.

MYSTERY OF MATTER.

Endless Routine of the Material That Forms Our Bodies.

Mr. Geoffrey Martin has written a treatise on chemistry from which is taken this paragraph from the chapter on "Matter."

"The endless circulation of matter in the universe is perhaps one of the most wonderful facts with which chemistry has to deal. It is this endless change that causes the history of the most common and insignificant objects about us to be more astonishing than any fairy tale."

"What a wonderful story, for example, could be written of the material that forms our bodies! It came into existence in the immense depth of space millions upon millions of years ago and wandered for ages through darkness and void until it reached our earth. Perhaps it fell upon the earth in a fiery meteorite, or perhaps it merely joined the huge fire mist from which our solid world condensed. Since then it has run round age after age in an endless circle of change."

"First it formed part of that vast primal atmosphere that surrounded the globe and blew in mighty winds round our planet; then it was absorbed into the body of some humble living being, and when this being died and its body decayed the matter passed into the rich mother earth. Thence it passed into some plant by means of its roots, and from the plant it passed by the process of being devoured into the body of some animal, and from the animal again it passed to earth and thence to plants and animals again, and so on through an endless cycle of change, coursing through the bodies of innumerable multitudes of living forms, which stretch far back in a dim, unending vista into the depths of time."

"Finally it reached man. Yes; the very atoms that thrill and flash in our brains and muscles once formed part of a living plant or animal millions of years ago and will again form part of a living plant or animal millions of years hence. In some form or other the matter that now forms our bodies will exist long after the whole present order of creation has passed away. Indeed, it may well yet blow in the winds of worlds as yet unborn and thrill in forms of life not yet evolved."

Players Fond of Bacon.

London—Our other ally is the name given to bacon and eggs by soldiers in Kitchener's army, who are consuming so much bacon the price in London has gone up.

Liquor For Soldiers.

Paris.—In the equipment of the American ambulance that left Paris for Serbia are sixty cases of cognac of rarest brands, donated by the manufacturers.

Buckwheat Cakes

Raised without Yeast

When they are just right, the old fashioned yeast-raised buckwheat cakes are just fine. But it takes a skillful hand to get them "just right" and many housewives do not want to be bothered with a bowl of batter standing around all the time. Made after this recipe, buckwheat cakes are as good as any you ever ate and much superior to those made with self-raising flour.

Made with K C double raise baking powder, the last of the batter will make just as light cakes as the first.

K C Buckwheat Cakes

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine.

1 cup buckwheat flour; 1 tablespoonful sugar; 3 level teaspoonsful K C Baking Powder; $\frac{1}{2}$ cup cold water; $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoonful salt.

Sift together, three times, the flour, sugar and baking powder; stir the water in all at once and bake on a hot, well oiled griddle. Buckwheat flour calls for a generous measure of baking powder. Part milk may be used to mix the cakes but water gives quite as good results.

A delicious "spread" for griddle cakes is made by creaming together about twice as much honey (either comb or strained) as butter. Work it up with a fork to about the consistency of hard sauce.

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Have as many small tables as you have sets of players, and the sets may include as many young people as can be seated at a table. Provide a box of pasteboard letters for each table and place them face downward. The first player draws a letter and lays it face downward, calling its name. The first player that speaks the name of the bird beginning with that letter wins it and also the chance to draw another. The player winning the greatest number of letters is entitled to a prize, while the one who guesses the least should be presented with an elaborate fool's cap.

Some Old Riddles.

As I went through a garden gap

whom should I meet but Dick Redcap,

a stick in his hand, a stone in his

throat. If you guess this riddle I'll

give you a goat. Answer.—A cherry.

Thirty white horses upon a red hill,

Now they tramp, now they champ,

now they stand still. Answer.—Gums and teeth.

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That Gull Lake Road Meeting

Write-up

Editor Dispatch:

Was much interested in reading your reporter's write-up on the Gull Lake road meeting held Thursday night. I find in it so many gross errors that I will again ask for space to make a few corrections.

To begin with he says the new road would be about a mile longer and cost \$4,737 more to build; the cost being \$17,107. I cannot conceive of how he could make such an utterly inexcusable misstatement as that, for the engineer's estimate is that it would cost approximately \$90,000 and I want to place myself on record as saying that if this road were ever constructed on this route it would be found the estimate was many thousands too low. The engineer's estimate of \$17,107 applied only to the first section, which was called "Larson's corner" which is considerably less than 4 miles. As your reporter says, the route (he doesn't say route he calls it a "road") was voted on in sections, and I was one of the men that voted "no" on the 1st section because I firmly and conscientiously believe that since we will be taxed to pay for the road it should be constructed where it will do the people living in the Gull Lake territory some good. I voted against the second section, not because I hoped to defeat it, but because it is so utterly stupid, so absolutely impossible, because it would at once irremediably conflict with a state law, that I did not wish to have it appear that I favored it by not voting at all. The 3rd section I promptly voted for, because it follows the old Gull Lake road, follows the route adopted by the county board at their September meeting, follows the route that in all justice and fairness to all the people and all the tax-payers it should follow all the way because it is the shortest, the least expensive road to build, and because it will accommodate a larger number of people who travel the Gull Lake road, and these three principles, and these alone should govern in finally determining upon the route.

Sure, Mike, Mr. Evanson's oration was greeted with "thunders of applause" but it was not because of what he said, neither did he use the language your reporter has ascribed to him but rather because of his excited manner, his broken English which was all the more pronounced because of his confusion, and also because he was clearly nursing the delusion that the new route was going on the east line of section 6 which would give him access to it, and because he was dealing out sledge hammer blows in defense of a route that was not ever under consideration. I think the reporter must himself have seen the humor of the situation and joined us all in heaping applause on the excited and perspiring orator, and by mutual consent of the warring factions he was voted the prize orator of the evening's entertainment. There are many more misstatements that I would like to take up but this would take up too much space, so will next take up Mr. Crust's remark.

C. A. KRECH.

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That Gull Lake Road Meeting

Write-up

Editor Dispatch:

Was much interested in reading your reporter's write-up on the Gull Lake road meeting held Thursday night. I find in it so many gross errors that I will again ask for space to make a few corrections.

To begin with he says the new road would be about a mile longer and cost \$4,737 more to build; the cost being \$17,107. I cannot conceive of how he could make such an utterly inexcusable misstatement as that, for the engineers estimates is that it would cost approximately \$90,000 and I want to place myself on record as saying that if this road were ever constructed on this route it would be found the estimate was many thousands too low. The engineer's estimate of \$17,107 applied only to the first section, which was called "Larson's corner" which is considerably less than 4 miles. As your reporter says, the route (no he doesn't say route he calls it a "road") was voted on in sections, and I was one of the men that voted "no" on the 1st section because I firmly and conscientiously believe that since we will be taxed to pay for the road it should be constructed where it will do the people living in the Gull Lake territory some good. I voted against the second section, not because I hoped to defeat it, but because it is so utterly stupid, so absolutely impossible, because it would at once irremediably conflict with a state law, that I did not wish to have it appear that I favored it by not voting at all. The 3rd section I promptly voted for, because it follows the old Gull Lake road, follows the route adopted by the county board at their September meeting, follows the route that in all justice and fairness to all the people and all the tax-payers it should follow all the way because it is the shortest, the least expensive road to build, and because it will accommodate a larger number of people who travel the Gull lake road, and these three principles, and these alone should govern in finally determining upon the route.

Sure, Mike, Mr. Evensta's oration was greeted with "thunders of applause" but it was not because of what he said, neither did he use the language your reporter has ascribed to him but rather because of his excited manner, his broken English which was all the more pronounced because of his confusion, and also because he was clearly nursing the delusion that the new route was going on the east line of section 6 which would give him access to it, and because he was dealing out sledge hammer blows in defense of a route that was not ever under consideration. I think the reporter must himself have seen the humor of the situation and joined us all in heaping applause on the excited and perspiring orator, and by mutual consent of the warring factions he was voted the prize orator of the evening's entertainment. There are many more misstatements that I would like to take up but this would take up too much space, so will next take up Mr. Crust's remark. Here is the way your reporter puts it and I believe it is substantially correct, "six years ago it was proposed at a county commissioners meeting to make the Gull lake road a state highway and it was opposed by Mr. Kreh. Every cent expended on the Gull lake road during Mr. Kreh's time has been expended under his direction."

As to the latter part of his statement I can say positively that he is mistaken, and prove it by the official proceedings of the board, not only by the official records but by living and reputable witnesses, but this point is not material so long as the money was wisely and judiciously expended and I think there is no dispute on that score, so we will let it go at that.

C. A. KRECH.

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GOV. HAMMOND IN
THE CITY FEB. 12

Gov. W. S. Hammond will pass through Brainerd on Friday afternoon, Feb. 12, on his way to Bemidji where he speaks that evening before the Minnesota Educational Association.

He will be met at the train on its arrival at Brainerd by a committee and go to the Chamber of Commerce club rooms where he will be glad to meet the Brainerd citizens during his 30 minutes at his disposal before the departure of his Bemidji train. It is hoped that a large number of our people will turn out to meet the governor at that time.

and the considering and passing upon applications for abatements and reductions of taxes, the county board has no official duty to perform in connection with tax matters. Appearing before the Tax Commission to urge the general reduction of assessments in the county is therefore not "county business." It being neither county business nor official duty, such work must be considered the gratuitous services of public spirited citizens. The laws of this state do not foster or encourage competition as between counties, either in the reduction of assessments or in any other way and public funds cannot be spent ordinarily to reimburse county officials for any advantage they may gain for their county at the expense of another county."

Mr. Swanson says the examiner's office advised the county auditor not to pay the Russell claim allowed by the board. County Attorney Alderman has appealed to the district court on the allowance of the bill.

Mr. Swanson says also that former County Auditor Smart had a bill before the commissioners for attendance at the Tax Commission hearing.

NEW PITCHER IN TOWN

Has Enormous Powers of Endurance, Good 24 Hours a Day if Necessary, at 502 Front St.

There's a new baseball pitcher in town, a regular mouse of a Walter Johnson when it comes to steady work, there being cases where he has worked 24 hours straight in coast towns.

The pitcher may be seen at work at 502 Front street tossing balls in a specially constructed room with canvas walls and ceiling, and netting in the front end. The floor is sloping.

The batter gets nine strikes for a nickel. Score is kept of one base, two base, three base hits, home runs, and the foul, scratch hits, etc., count zero.

The Goude Service Co. automatic baseball pitcher does the business. The balls roll down the floor to the mechanical contrivance and a jerk of the lever of the operator at the entrance to the room, releases a spring, the ball is tossed at the batter and the game is on. W. A. Hay, of Hilyard, Wash., formerly of Adkin, is in charge of the new novelty amusement feature.

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City Hall Being Plastered, Excellent Work Being Done by George Thill & Sons of St. Paul

THE WINNOR-ADAMS COMPANY

Completing Their Lumber Sheds and Offices—Brainerd Fruit Co. Building Plans

Joseph J. Hennen and George Urquhart, of St. Paul, interested in mining lands on the range, visited Brainerd today, and both said they were pleased to see the activity apparent in this city. Building was going on, improvements were projected and they constantly read a lot of Brainerd.

"Brainerd is a good town," said Mr. Hennen, "and the people are public spirited. The new city hall being built is a credit to the town."

"The drilling and mining in the city limits of Brainerd is giving the town much advertising," said Mr. Urquhart. "We have been reading the Brainerd Dispatch and are glad to see the interest taken in good roads. The more good roads head to Brainerd, the more business it will bring you."

An inspection of the city shows many improvements under way. At the new city hall the plasterers are putting on the finish coat. The contract is being carried out in most excellent manner by George Thill & Sons, of St. Paul. Moulded beam ceilings are being put in, the only work of the kind resembling it being at the postoffice.

The council chambers situated at the east side of the city hall, will be elaborate with a ceiling of four full beams and two half beams. The cornice moulding consists of six members and molding plaster, plaster parison and stucco is used in its composition. Wiring is also being done by the Thill firm.

The basement of the city hall which contains the farmers' rest room, has been completed in the plastering line. The jail is ready for the white coat. By Monday the last of the plastering will be under way in the fire hall and all plastering will be finished by about Thursday of next week.

Further west on Laurel street one sees the new ice house of the Brainerd Ice Co., a great improvement over the old structure which used to stretch its centipede props into the street.

Near by is the part of the Winnor-Adams Lumber Co. The lumber sheds measure 60 by 100 feet and are being built under the direction of J. E. Jackson. The structure has 12 foot sides and is 18 feet high in the center. On Front street the company has a plot of ground 80 feet deep with 100 feet frontage which will be used to store their lime, brick, cement and tile.

The offices will soon be completed. The number given them is 11 Laurel street. The company may use a motor truck for delivery of lumber about town.

To the west of the Winnor-Adams Co. the Brainerd Fruit Co. is reported, will erect a brick warehouse costing from \$12,000 to \$15,000.

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Indoor Baseball Player States There Was no Game at the Y. M. C. A.

Gymnasium

On Saturday the Dispatch published notes of an indoor baseball game played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, the report being given the paper, as usual, by D. T. Lawrence, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Reference was made to the defeat administered the Ingolf Dillan team by the Y. M. C. A. All Star nine, the score reading 9 to 0, the Dillans drawing the small end. Only seven innings were played, said the report, and it was considered one of the fastest games in Brainerd. The Dillans were unable to get a man to first base.

In the world of sport there must always be winners and losers, but there are many kinds of both. Young Dillan takes umbrage at the Y. M. C. A. story and has sent in this communication:

"The article in the local news notes about an indoor baseball game played at the Y. M. C. A. was probably reported by someone who was not rightly informed. There was no game that evening, save 'work-ups,' in which everyone present played a rousing good game, managing to get all around the bases more than once. There were no spectators. Indoor baseball is played at the Y. M. C. A. almost every evening and any member present will be furnished with tennis shoes, if he has none of his own, provided he gets into the game. There is standing room for the spectators."

STRONG TEAMS TO MEET

Bemidji and Brainerd Quints to Battle for District Title in High School Basketball

Arrangements were completed yesterday for the Brainerd and Bemidji high school basketball game to be played in this city next Saturday night. The Brainerd team is considered one of the strongest in the sixth congressional district. So confident of victory are Brainerd supporters that many bets are being made on the outcome of the contest. Many of the railroad men of that city have already made wagers and one enthusiastic fan has offered to place \$25 in the hands of a stakeholder that the visiting team will win.—Bemidji Pioneer.

WAVES BATTER SEA WALL

More Than a Mile of Government Work Disappears.

San Francisco, Feb. 9.—More than a mile of sea wall, erected by the government at a cost of more than \$2,000,000, at the mouth of the Columbia river near Astoria, Ore., gave way and disappeared under the buffeting of the heaviest sea of the winter. The wall was completed last spring.

For thirty-six hours Northern California and Oregon have been in the grip of one of the severest rain and wind storms in years.

FIFTEEN IN COLORADO NET

Strikers and Labor Officials Admitted to Bail.

Walsenburg, Colo., Feb. 9.—Fifteen strikers, strike sympathizers and labor officials, arrested on warrants issued upon secret indictments found by the Huerfano county special grand jury, were admitted to bail in sums of \$5,000 and \$10,000.

The special grand jury concluded a fifty days' session by returning a final secret report upon its investigations of the violence growing out of the coal strike in the southern fields.

I. O. G. T. ELECTION

Viking Lodge, No. 86, of the Independent Order of Good Templars, elected these officers January 29:

Local Deputy—Ole P. Stene.

Chief Templar—H. B. Olson.

Financial Secretary—Dagred Olsen.

Treasurer—Ole Rasmussen.

Secretary—J. R. Pedersen.

Vice Templar—C. O. Petersen.

Chaplain—Miss Anne Holmen.

Marshal—Tamas Olsen.

Guard—John Rude.

NOTICE M. B. A.

All members of White Sand Lodge No. 360, of the Modern Brotherhood of America, are requested to be present Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, as business of importance is to come before the order. Program, lunch and dance. Each member can bring a friend.

210-12 Adv. PRESS COM.

CHANGES PRISON FOR FINE

Missouri House Passes Bill Making Alteration in Anti-Trust Law.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 9.—Without a dissenting vote the house of the Missouri legislature passed a bill redefining the fine provisions of the state anti-trust law and substituting therefor a penitentiary sentence of five years for violation of the law.

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And the toilers toiled and were a-thirst, and the heroes returned from fresh victories to rejoice and feast, and all drank alike from the artist's goblets, fashioned cunningly, taking no note the while of the craftsman's pride and understanding not his glory in his work; drinking at the cup, not from choice, not from a consciousness that it was beautiful, but because, forsooth, there was none other—James McNeill Whistler.

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GOV. HAMMOND IN THE CITY FEB. 12

Gov. W. S. Hammond will pass through Brainerd on Friday afternoon, Feb. 12, on his way to Bemidji where he speaks that evening before the Minnesota Educational Association.

He will be met at the train on its arrival at Brainerd by a committee and go to the Chamber of Commerce club rooms where he will be glad to meet the Brainerd citizens during his 30 minutes at his disposal before the departure of his Bemidji train. It is hoped that a large number of our people will turn out to meet the governor at that time.

and the considering and passing upon applications for abatements and reductions of taxes, the county board has no official duty to perform in connection with tax matters. Appearing before the Tax Commission to urge the general reduction of assessments in the county is therefore not "county business." It being neither county business nor official duty, such work must be considered the gratuitous services of public spirited citizens. The laws of this state do not foster or encourage competition as between counties, either in the reduction of assessments or in any other way and public funds cannot be spent ordinarily to reimburse county officials for any advantage they may gain for their county at the expense of another county."

Mr. Swanson says the examiner's office advised the county auditor not to pay the Russell claim allowed by the board. County Attorney Alderman has appealed to the district court on the allowance of the bill.

Mr. Swanson says also that former County Auditor Smart had a bill before the commissioners for attendance at the Tax Commission hearing.

NEW PITCHER IN TOWN

Has Enormous Powers of Endurance, Good 24 Hours a Day if Necessary, at 502 Front St.

There's a new baseball pitcher in town, a regular mouse of a Walter Johnson when it comes to steady work there being cases where he has worked 24 hours straight in coast week.

The pitcher may be seen at work at 502 Front street tossing balls in a specially constructed room with canvas walls and ceiling, and netting in the front end. The floor is sloping.

The batter gets nine strikes for a nickel. Score is kept of one base, two base, three base hits, home runs, and the foul, scratch hits, etc., count zero.

The Goude Service Co. automatic baseball pitcher does the business. The balls roll down the floor to the mechanical contrivance and a jerk of the lever of the operator at the entrance to the room, releases a spring, the ball is tossed at the batter and the game is on. W. A. Hay, of Hilyard, Wash., formerly of Aitkin, is in charge of the new novelty amusement feature.

The writer, with very little spring training, smashed the ball 16 times out of 20 times to bat, scoring a home run, two triples and a bunch of singles, scratch hits and fouls.

CHANGES PRISON FOR FINE

Missouri House Passes Bill Making Alteration in Anti-Trust Law

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 9.—Without a dissenting vote the house of the Missouri legislature passed a bill repealing the fine provisions of the state anti-trust law and substituting therefor a penitentiary sentence of five years for violation of the law.

The Brainerd Sash & Door Co. is working on a lot of orders. An impetus to road building leading to Brainerd will stimulate business by bringing travel to Brainerd which previously made other towns.

OUCH! LUMBAGO PAIN!

CITY BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

City Hall Being Plastered, Excellent Work Being Done by George Thill & Sons of St. Paul

THE WINNOR-ADAMS COMPANY

Completing Their Lumber Sheds and Offices—Brainerd Fruit Co. Building Plans

Joseph J. Hennen and George Urquhart, of St. Paul, interested in mining lands on the range, visited Brainerd today, and both said they were pleased to see the activity apparent in this city. Building was going on, improvements were projected and they constantly read a lot of Brainerd.

"Brainerd is a good town," said Mr. Hennen, "and the people are public spirited. The new city hall being built is a credit to the town."

"The drilling and mining in the city limits of Brainerd is giving the town much advertising," said Mr. Urquhart. "We have been reading the Brainerd Dispatch and are glad to see the interest taken in good roads. The more good roads head to Brainerd, the more business it will bring you."

An inspection of the city shows many improvements under way. At the new city hall the plasterers are putting on the finish coat. The contract is being carried out in most excellent manner by George Thill & Sons, of St. Paul. Moulded beam ceilings are being put in, the only work of the kind resembling it being at the postoffice.

The council chambers situated at the east side of the city hall, will be elaborated with a ceiling of four full beams and two half beams. The corner moulding consists of six members and molding plaster, plaster panels and stucco is used in its composition. Wiring is also being done by the Thill firm.

The basement of the city hall, which contains the farmers' rest room, has been completed in the plastering line. The jail is ready for the white coat. By Monday the last of the plastering will be under way in the new hall and all plastering will be finished by about Thursday of next week.

Further west on Laurel street one sees the new ice house of the Brainerd Ice Co., a great improvement over the old structure which used to stretch its centipede props into the street.

Near by is the plant of the Winnor-Adams Lumber Co. The lumber sheds measure 60 by 100 feet and are being built under the direction of J. E. Jackson. The structure has 12 foot sides and is 18 feet high in the center.

On Front street the company has a plat of ground 80 feet deep with 100 feet trackage which will be used to store their lime, brick, cement and tile.

The offices will soon be completed.

The number given them is 11 Laurel street. The company may use a motor truck for delivery of lumber about town.

To the west of the Winnor-Adams Co. the Brainerd Fruit Co., it is reported, will erect a brick warehouse costing from \$12,000 to \$15,000.

John R. Harrington, of Hibbing, has taken an option to drill the Holland lands bequeathed to the city and will soon set out a drill for exploration work.

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DILLAN PROTESTS

Indoor Baseball Player States There Was no Game at the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium

On Saturday the Dispatch published notes of an indoor baseball game played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, the report being given in the paper, as usual, by D. T. Lawrence, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Reference was made to the defeat administered the Ingolf Dillan team by the Y. M. C. A. All Star nine, the score reading 9 to 0, the Dillans drawing the small end. Only seven innings were played, said the report, and it was considered one of the fastest games in Brainerd. The Dillan's were unable to get a man to first base.

In the world of sport there must always be winners and losers, but there are many kinds of both. Young Dillan takes umbrage at the Y. M. C. A. story and has sent in this communication:

"The article in the 'local news notes' about an indoor baseball game played at the Y. M. C. A. was probably reported by someone who was not rightly informed. There was no game that evening, save 'work-ups,' in which everyone present played a rousing good game, managing to get all around the bases more than once. There were no spectators. Indoor baseball is played at the Y. M. C. A. almost every evening and any member present will be furnished with tennis shoes, if he has none of his own, provided he gets into the game. There is 'standing room for the spectators.'

STRONG TEAMS TO MEET

Bemidji and Brainerd Quints to Battle for District Title in High School Basketball

Arrangements were completed yesterday for the Brainerd and Bemidji high school basketball game to be played in this city next Saturday night. The Brainerd team is considered one of the strongest in the sixth congressional district. So confident of victory are Brainerd supporters that many bets are being made on the outcome of the contest. Many of the railroad men of that city have already made wagers and one enthusiastic fan has offered to place \$25 in visiting team will win.—Bemidji Pioneer.

I. O. G. T. ELECTION

Viking Lodge, No. 86, of the Independent Order of Good Templars, elected these officers January 29:

Lodge Deputy—Ole P. Stene. Chief Templar—H. B. Olson. Financial Secretary—Dagred Olson. Treasurer—Ole Rasmussen. Secretary—J. R. Pedersen. Vice Templar—C. O. Petersen. Chaplain—Miss Anne Holmen. Marshal—Tomas Olsen. Guard—John Rude.

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"It's really only a formality," said the manager of the hotel. "The man was a robber and Mr. Dorr tried to capture him, as he had every right to do, and the man was killed."

This failed to comfort Ruth. To her mind the presence of the burly officers, the fact that John Dorr was under arrest in a strange city, made her feel that her burdens were too great to bear. She sat holding the old cook's hand till Everett should come. He had already telephoned, and she tried to be brave till he should come.

Everett arrived, and the moment she saw him she heaved a sigh of relief. He was so capable looking, so cool, so genuinely cordial to John that even Tom Kane softened his grim visage a little.

"I'm under arrest," John told him. "The officers were good enough to let me stay here till you came. Now I must be off. Let me introduce you all around."

This done, John Dorr went on, "They can tell you all about things, and when you've learned the worst come down and get me out, if you can."

Everett agreed, and Dorr rose, and with a smile said goodby to his companions. As he left the hotel with an officer on either side of him Ruth broke down and cried. Tom Kane comforted her as best he could till Everett suggested that they had best go to some more private place and discuss matters.

In Ruth's room she and the cook explained affairs briefly. Everett following their narrative carefully up to the incidents of the night before. When Ruth had finished and the cook was silent Everett thought a moment, then he laughed.

"I don't mean to make fun of all this," he apologized. "But I've known John Dorr for years and this is precisely the kind of trouble he revels in."

"But he's in jail!" Ruth protested tearfully.

"True enough," was the reply. "That is the first thing I must do, get him out. I'll be off now and see the district attorney and bail him out."

"Please hurry!" Ruth pleaded.

"Don't worry," was the cheerful response. A moment later he was gone, promising to bring John back with him.

"What do you think of Mr. Everett?" Ruth demanded of Tom Kane.

The old man lit his pipe and scrutinized the ceiling. "Well," he said judicially, "considering the looks of them on Wilkerson's side and them on John's side, I should think that this Everett was on the right side."

With this judgment she had to be content. But she insisted that he tell her all about the conditions at the "Master Key" mine. "I know you have not told me all the truth," she said.

"Well," he answered her, "there's not much to tell one way and a heap in another. The mine's practically shut down. You know first you went away, then John and then Wilkerson. Pretty much all was left was me and Bill Tabbs. Bill, he kind of represented Wilkerson, and I stuck up for John.

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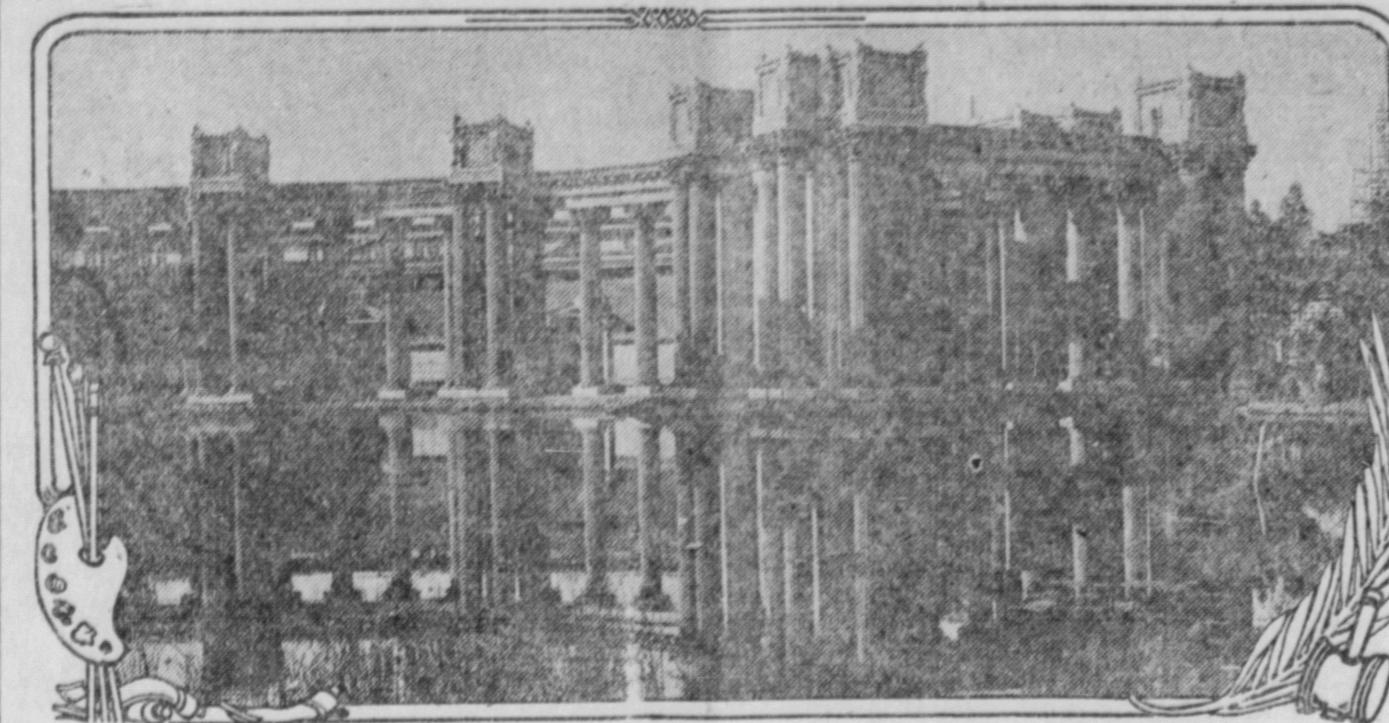
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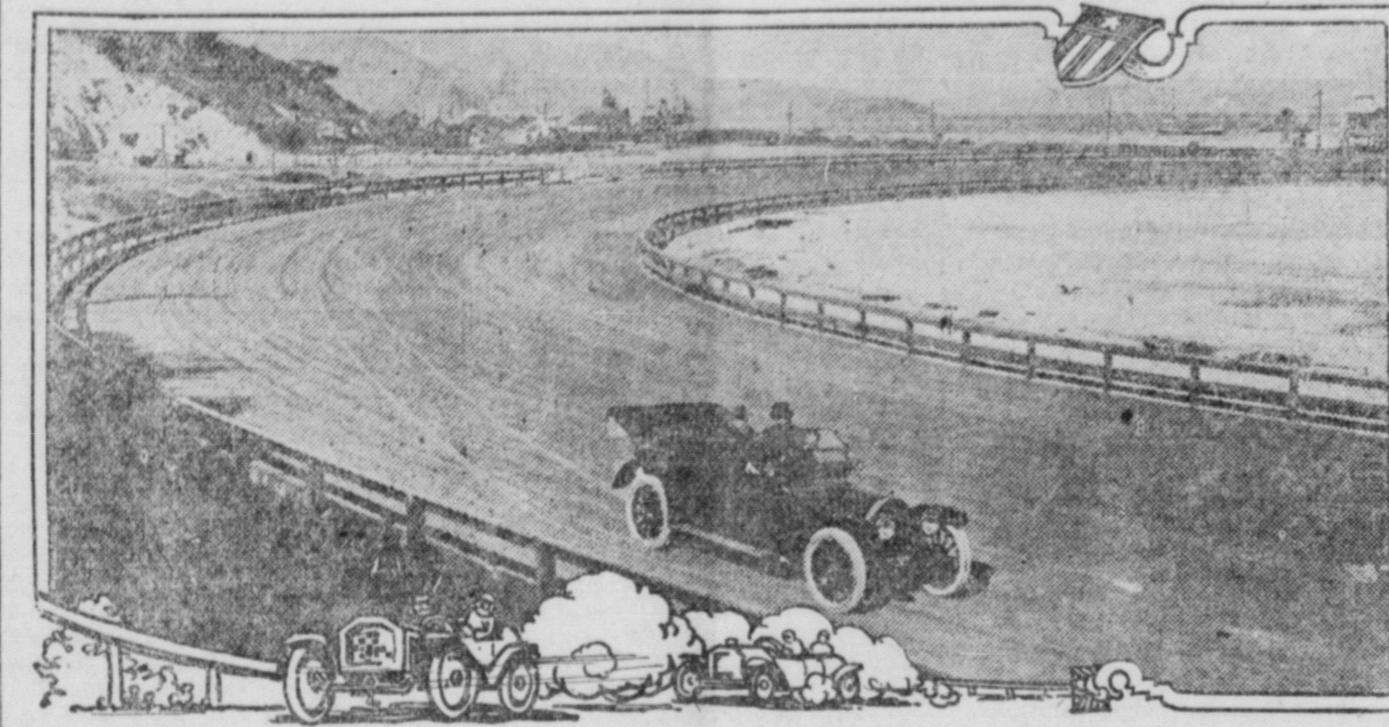
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Just a Hint of the Beauties of the Palace of Fine Arts at the Great 1915 Exposition



EXQUISITE colonnade of the Palace of Fine Arts at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco. The building, which is of steel and concrete construction, is Roman in architecture and fronts upon a great lagoon, which it partly envelops. The Palace of Fine Arts cost over \$600,000. Here will be seen a notable collection of the great works of foreign and American painters and sculptors.

One Turn of the Four Mile Course For the Big Auto Races to Be Held Inside the 1915 Exposition Gates



THE Vanderbilt Cup Race and the Grand Prix are early features of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco. The Vanderbilt Cup Race on Feb. 22 and the Grand Prix on Feb. 27. The exposition course is the most novel ever laid out, and a part of it lies between the exhibit palaces, state buildings and foreign pavilions and parallel to the Golden Gate. The prize money for the two races is \$15,000, in addition to the cups.

IN A NAVAL FIGHT

Vital Work Is Done In the Control Room of the Vessel.

THE HEART OF THE WARSHIP.

Through This Steel Cell, Deep Under the Deck, the Commander in the Conning Tower Is in Touch With Every Person and Event on Board.

When a warship sails into action her heart pulses and throbs as eager for the fray as the hearts of any of her crew. Yes, a warship has a heart. The heart of a warship is the control room, deep down under the deck, situated aft, usually abaft the second funnel.

Guests of the Manx Hotel Have Fierce Struggle With Hotel Robber.

Shortly before midnight last night Miss Ruth Galion, a guest at the Hotel Manx, entered her room to find a masked man looting her desk. Her cry for help frightened the thief, and he made for the fire escape, followed by Mr. John Dorr, another guest, who heard Miss Galion's call. Mr. Dorr pursued the man to the roof, and in the ensuing struggle the desperado was either flung or fell to the street below. He was instantly killed.

Shortly afterward the body was identified by the police as that of Samuel Price, alias Henry Pell, an ex-convict and drug fiend.

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The New Plot.

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"It's really only a formality," said the manager of the hotel. "The man was a robber and Mr. Dorr tried to capture him, as he had every right to do, and the man was killed."

This failed to comfort Ruth. To her mind the presence of the burly officers, the fact that John Dorr was under arrest in a strange city, made her feel that her burdens were too great to bear. She sat holding the old cook's hand till Everett should come. He had already telephoned, and she tried to be brave till he should come.

Everett arrived, and the moment she saw him she heaved a sigh of relief. He was so capable looking, so cool, so genuinely cordial to John that even Tom Kane softened his grim visage a little.

"I'm under arrest," John told him. "The officers were good enough to let me stay here till you came. Now I must be off. Let me introduce you all around."

This done, John Dorr went on, "They can tell you all about things, and when you've learned the worst come down and get me out, if you can."

Everett agreed, and Dorr rose, and with a smile said goodby to his companions. As he left the hotel with an officer on either side of him Ruth broke down and cried. Tom Kane comforted her as best he could till Everett suggested that they had best go to some more private place and discuss matters.

In Ruth's room she and the cook explained affairs briefly. Everett following their narrative carefully up to the incidents of the night before. When Ruth had finished and the cook was silent Everett thought a moment, then he laughed.

"I don't mean to make fun of all this," he apologized, "but I've known John Dorr for years and this is precisely the kind of trouble he revels in."

"But he's in jail!" Ruth protested tearfully.

"True enough," was the reply. "That is the first thing I must do, get him out. I'll be off now and see the district attorney and bail him out."

"Please hurry!" Ruth pleaded.

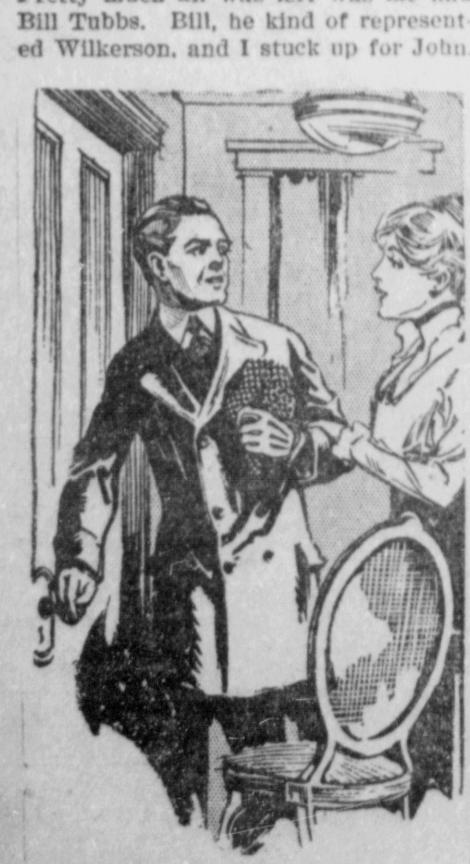
"Don't worry," was the cheerful response. A moment later he was gone, promising to bring John back with him.

"What do you think of Mr. Everett?" Ruth demanded of Tom Kane.

The old man lit his pipe and scrutinized the ceiling. "Well," he said judicially, "considering the looks of them on Wilkerson's side and them on John's side, I should think that this Everett was on the right side."

With this judgment she had to be content. But she insisted that he tell her all about the conditions at the "Master Key" mine. "I know you have not told me all the truth," she said.

"Well," he answered her, "there's not much to tell one way and a heap in another. The mine's practically shut down. You know first you went away, then John and then Wilkerson. Pretty much all was left was me and Bill Tubbs. Bill, he kind of represented Wilkerson, and I stuck up for John.



"Please hurry!" Ruth pleaded.

The result was that things went to the bad, and the boys they come to me and want to know how long they've got to lay off."

"I suppose ye mean how long before a pay day," I says to 'em. "So far as I know nobody has laid you off."

"They agreed with me, but said they couldn't feed their folks without money, and if they got no money for it why work?"

"They haven't been paid, then?"

"No. And Wilkerson cut off all credit at the store. I guess I got in bad with Tubbs when I divided up a lot of flour and spuds that was in the cook shanty among the worst off ones. There was some ugly talk, and before I could kind of settle the boys' minds they treated Bill pretty roughly. So I just told myself that I would come to San Francisco and explain things—how Wilkerson deserted the camp and the mine was closed down and your people were starving."

"Oh!" mourned Ruth, agast at the blunt story. "And I seem to have been unfortunate all around, but I know that John will fix things."

Tom Kane fixed his honest old eyes on the girl and shook his head. "I don't want to discourage you, Ruthie," he said quietly, "but until that man Wilkerson is out of the mine for good you can't do more than patch matters up temporarily."

Meanwhile Wilkerson and Jean Darnell were anxiously awaiting news from Henry Pell. It was getting along in the forenoon, and the woman insisted that if he had succeeded in getting the papers he should have been on the ground long before. Her companion

"I don't want to discourage you, Ruthie."

Ion was worried, but laid the delay to Ruth's habits and the necessity possibly of avoiding the police.

But when Drake arrived with the morning papers and said nothing articulate and only pointed to the headlines on the first page both Wilkerson and Mrs. Darnell knew that something had happened again to spoil their plans. It was Wilkerson who snatched up the paper and read the news:

HOTEL THIEF HURLED TO DEATH

Guests of the Manx Hotel Have Fierce Struggle With Midnight Robber.

Shortly before midnight last night Miss Ruth Gallon, a guest at the Hotel Manx, entered her room to find a masked man looting her desk. Her cry for help frightened the thief, and he made for the fire escape, followed by Mr. John Dorr, another guest, who heard Miss Gallon's call. Mr. Dorr pursued the man to the roof, and in the ensuing struggle the desperado was either flung or fell to the street below. He was instantly killed.

Shortly afterward the body was identified by the police as that of Samuel Price, alias Henry Pell, an ex-convict and drug fiend.

Wilkerson read no further. He turned his ghastly face on Mrs. Darnell and said huskily, "He's dead!"

"Well, he won't tell any tales," was the cold response. "The question is, did he get the papers?"

To this question there was no satisfactory answer until Wilkerson read down further and learned that nothing of value had been found on Pell's body.

"So he didn't get the deeds, and Ruth still has them," Mrs. Darnell said bitterly. "That is the way all your plans succeed."

Wilkerson flushed. "There is no comfort," he said in an ugly tone. "Dorr is to be held for killing him."

"For how long?" sneered Jean. "Until his friends get him out. And meanwhile you do nothing!"

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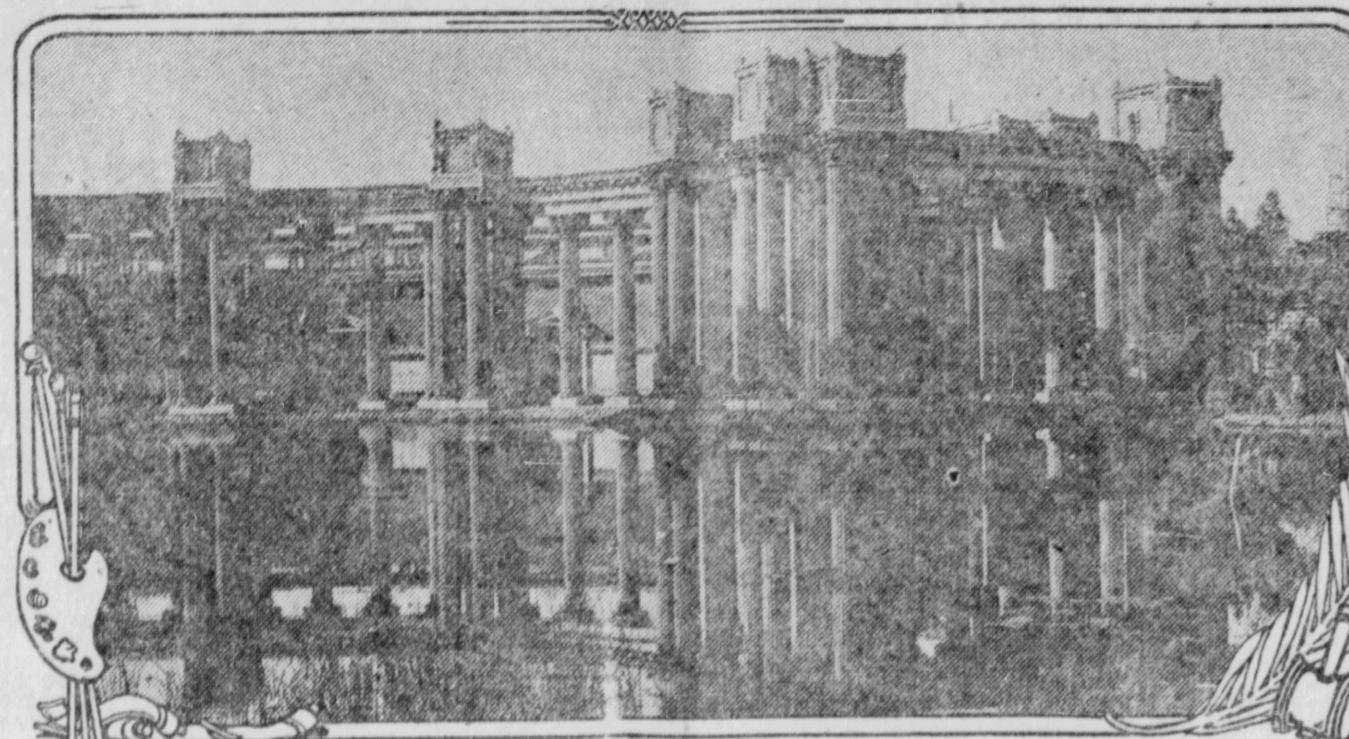
Diplomacy.

First Doctor—To what do you attribute his success as a physician?

Second Doctor—To his diplomacy.

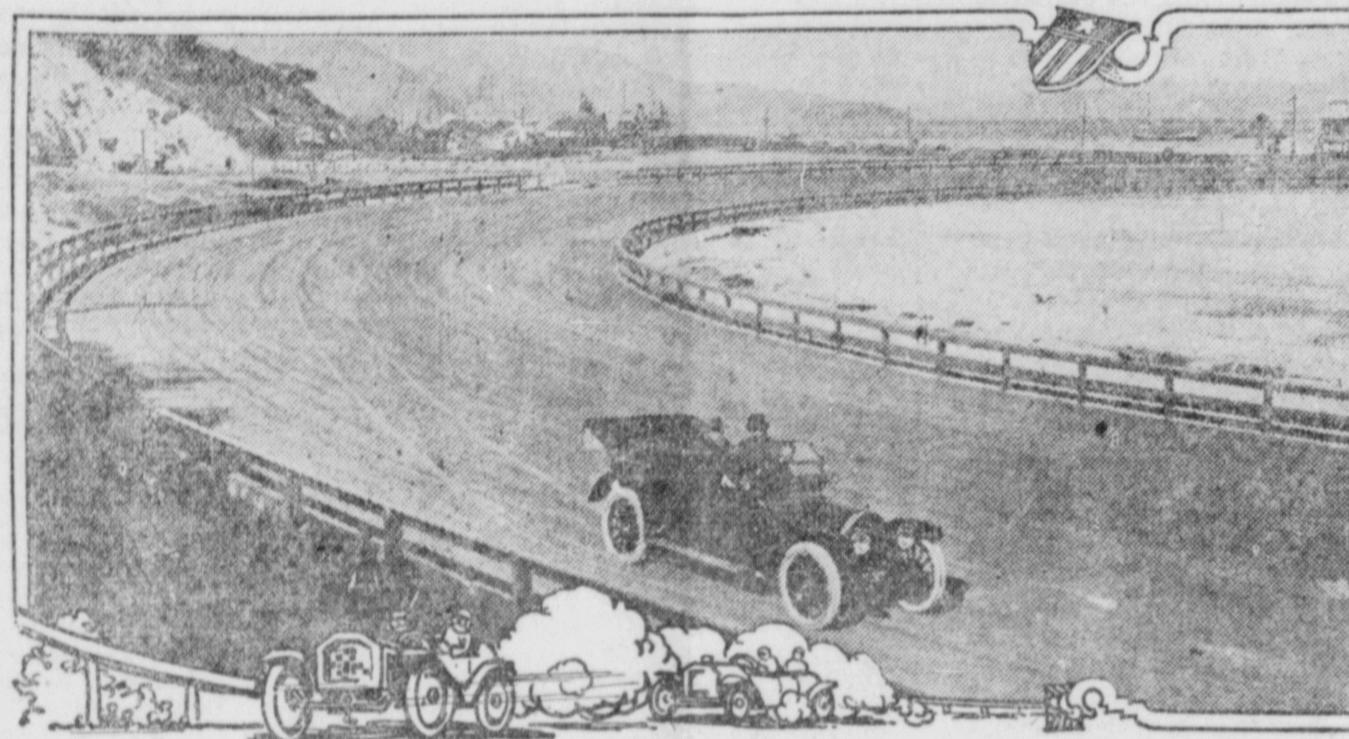
He first finds out a few things a patient doesn't like and then orders him not to eat them.—Philadelphia Record.

Just a Hint of the Beauties of the Palace of Fine Arts at the Great 1915 Exposition



EXQUISITE colonnade of the Palace of Fine Arts at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco. The building, which is of steel and concrete construction, is Roman in architecture and fronts upon a great lagoon, which it partly envelops. The Palace of Fine Arts cost over \$600,000. Here will be seen a notable collection of the great works of foreign and American painters and sculptors.

One Turn of the Four Mile Course For the Big Auto Races to Be Held Inside the 1915 Exposition Gates



THE Vanderbilt Cup Race and the Grand Prix are early features of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco. The Vanderbilt Cup Race on Feb. 22 and the Grand Prix on Feb. 27. The exposition course is the most novel ever laid out, and a part of it lies between the exhibit palaces, state buildings and foreign pavilions and parallel to the Golden Gate. The prize money for the two races is \$15,000, in addition to the cups.

IN A NAVAL FIGHT

Vital Work Is Done In the Control Room of the Vessel.

THE HEART OF THE WARSHIP.

Through This Steel Cell, Deep Under the Deck, the Commander in the Conning Tower Is in Touch With Every Person and Event on Board.

When a warship sails into action her heart pulses and throbs as eager for the fray as the hearts of any of her crew. Yes, a warship has a heart.

The heart of a warship is the control room, deep down under the deck, situated aft, usually abaft the second funnel.

Even on big fighting ships the heart is small. Generally it is only ten feet by six, and is almost noise proof and perfectly quiet. It is really a steel vault, entered by a door not unlike the door of a burglar proof safe.

From door to ceiling the walls are lined with dials, wires, gauges, electric bells, speaking tubes, switches and a great amount of other apparatus which keeps the commander in constant touch with every corner of the ship. It is the most wonderful and the most fearful room on earth or sea.

It is a fortress within a fortress, a steel cell within the steel walls of the fighting engine.

To be in the control room during active service is to feel like being in a vault with the door locked on the outside. This little compartment, which visitors seldom see, will keep alive as long as there is a living soul on board able to hear and answer a call.

It is through the control room that the commander issues his instructions, observes and notes how the battle is going, calls the gun crews from place to place, directs the engineers, steers the whole fabric and supervises everything. If a submarine is seen in any direction it is through the control room that it is reported.

A little bell rings, a voice far away speaks, "Submarine on the port bow, sir, two leagues off." In an instant the answer thrills the gun crews:

"Ware submarine on the port bow; enemy's craft. Ready!" The gunners have been ready for some time, and when the chief gunner has "laid" the gun to his satisfaction bang goes a message the enemy will not forget if it hits him.

If a gun has to cease fire the order comes through the control room. If the enemy lands a shell on deck or anywhere in the warship the doctors

are notified that they are wanted at that spot almost as soon as the men have fallen. If the gun crew are dead it is from the heart of the ship that the order is given for fresh men to fill their places.

Though the captain himself is in the conning tower above, he knows through the officer in the control room just what has happened to his ship and the extent of the damage, and if the captain is killed in the conning tower or on the bridge the chief officer in the control room goes up at once to take his place.

There are generally about six men in this little throbbing heart of the battleship, including operators and junior officers.

The chief officer gives directions to the torpedo operators, the gunners, the searchlight manipulators and the officers in charge of the fighting masts, if such are part of the ship's equipment. But, besides all this, there are a thousand and one things to attend to during an engagement.

Every order has to be given at an instant's notice; given distinctly, firmly, without the slightest hesitation or flurry. It is only in the control room that one learns what the phrase "duty" really means.

Everything goes with automatic precision in the heart of a warship, and as it is the most vital spot on board special care is taken to preserve it from harm.

Think of the steady nerves required of those men, cooped up in this small room when the shells are flying around and the hull is being battered by the enemy's guns! A wrong signal might mean disaster, but the organization is so near perfection that mistakes are practically unknown.

There is no rest for the officers in the control room during a fight. They must stay at the ship's heart telegraphing and telephoning to every part of the vessel, without taking notice of the wreckage that is being heaped up on every hand. They know that when the men in turret No. 1 or turret No. 2 cease to reply to their signals something serious has happened.

They know that even when the conning tower has been smashed by shot and shell and the bridge has been swept away they must stick to their switches so long as there is an officer alive to direct operations. Not until the ship is blown up or rammed are they allowed to leave that little room, and then they go down with her.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Queer.

"The English language is queer."

"What's the matter now?"

"When a woman wears a very low

gown people say that she is dressed in the height of fashion."—Detroit Free Press.

Neither European or Asiatic.

What is it that has made Russia the great enigma, the stranger both to Europe and Asia? Beyond doubt, the fact that she is herself neither one. To the Asiatic she is something of a European; to the European she is something of an Asiatic; yet to both she is not wholly either the one or the other. She is like a great tree with her ancient trunk rising up out of the Caucasus, the early home of the Slavic people and towering up into the ices of the north and with her branches extending east and west into the sunrise and the sunset.—Century.

When Dad Is All Right.

He may wear a greasy hat and the seat of his pants may be shiny, but if a man's children have their noses flattened against the window pane a half hour before he is due home to supper you can trust him with anything you have. He is all right.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Retort Courteous.

"To what am I indebted for this visit, sir?" said the manager pompously.

"To the fact that you are indebted to our company for \$7,75, which we are getting tired of waiting for," replied the collector just as pompously.—Detroit Free Press.

Bookkeeping.

The Bride-James, dear. I'm afraid I'll have to ask you to give me \$3.50—it's the only way I can make my books balance.—Exchange

An Invitation.

"I say, old top." "Yes." "How

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